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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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BANKS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$7,500,000. RESERVE FUND, \$3,900,000. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS, \$7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman—HON. JOHN BELL IRVING. Deputy Chairman—HON. J. P. MORGAN. C. D. BROTHERMAN, Esq. W. G. BROWN, Esq. H. L. DAINFELD, Esq. H. HOPKINS, Esq. B. LAYTON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong, January 26, 1888. 363

INTEREST ALLOWED.

Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits—For 3 months, 4 per cent. per annum. " 6 " 5 " " " " " 12 " 6 " " " " "

LOCAL BRANCHES. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

NOTICE.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE above Company's EXCHANGE is NOW OPEN for Telephonic Communication.

Rate of Subscription is \$80 per Annum, payable quarterly in advance. Electrical Material of all descriptions kept in stock for sale.

ELECTRIC BELLS a specialty. Houses fitted up and kept in order at most Moderate Prices.

TELEPHONE MATERIAL supplied on Sale or Hire.

AGENTS FOR ELECTRIC LIGHTING, both A.C. and INCANDESCENT. Estimates furnished free.

HAROLD DOWSON, Agent, Hongkong, August 24, 1887. 1610

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FORMS should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Under-Signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary, Hongkong, August 25, 1888. 1458

NOTICE.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Nineteenth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 45, Queen's Road, Victoria, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon of TUESDAY, the 21st February instant, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1887.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 21st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTREE, Secretary, Hongkong, February 1, 1888. 170

NOTICE.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS. VOYAGERS' ORBITAL BINOCLULARS AND TELESCOPES. REEVE'S LOGS AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS. NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. CHRISTIE & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

D. J. MONROE'S DIAMOND JEWELLERY. A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Patterns, at very moderate prices.

DEACON & Co., Canton, 7th January, 1888. 149

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ALFRED TIDSWELL DUAL in our Firm CEASED on the 31st December, 1887.

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE. MR. M. GROTE has THIS DAY been Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm. CHATER & VERNON. Hongkong, January 1, 1888. 5

Intimations.

MADAME FLATTERING, ROBES ET CONFECTIONS, BEAUFORT ARCADE, Hongkong.

DRESS-MAKING, in the most Stylish and Efficient Manner, executed promptly to Order at MODERATE RATES.

Hongkong, February 7, 1888. 204

NOTICE.

THE CHINA NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS will be observed at this Office and at the CUSTOMS STATIONS from the 28th day of the 12th Moon to the 5th of 1st Moon—9th to 10th February—inclusive; and during that period all Shipment, Discharge and Examination of Cargo will be suspended.

F. A. MORGAN, Commissioner.

CUSTOM HOUSE, Kowloon, 6th February, 1888. 200

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Seventh Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Polder's Street, on FRIDAY, the 10th February, at Noon, to receive a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1887, and the Report of the General Managers, also to discuss any matters that may be competently brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 31st Instant to the 10th Proximo, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, January 26, 1888. 137

PIESSE & LUBIN.

ESSENTIAL FACTORS. Every flower that breathes a fragrance. SWEET SCENTS. LOTUS OPOPHAX. FRAGRANCE. SPIDUM.

THE OHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CENTRAL EXCHANGE & CLUB CHAMBERS.

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Business Notices.

LANE CRAWFORD & Co. FOR SALE.

Smith's Glasgow Tobaccos:

SMITH'S CUT NAVY.

SMITH'S FLAKED GOLD LEAF.

SMITH'S GLASGOW MIXTURE.

SMITH'S GOLDEN BIRDSEYE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 9, 1888. 61

STAG HOTEL, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

J. COOK, Proprietor.

THE HOTEL IS SITUATED IN A VERY MINUTE WALK FROM THE PRINCIPAL LANDING PLACES.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS. CHARGES MODERATE.

Tiffin at 1 o'clock. DINNER at 1.30.

WELL VENTILATED BILLIARD ROOM. Tiffin 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS.

Wines, Spirits and Malt Liquors of the very best quality only. Hongkong, April 1, 1887. 507

Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office, Banks, &c.), has recently been much enlarged and improved, and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1884. 1612

W. POWELL & Co. LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S WARM CLOTHING.

CASHMERE AND MERINO VESTS. CASHMERE AND MERINO COMBINATION GARMENTS.

CASHMERE HOSE, all sizes and colours. KNITTED WOOL VESTS AND JACKETS. WOOL SHAWLS AND HOODS.

KNITTED GAITHERS AND BOOTS. WOOL HATS AND TAN O' SHANTERS. (TELEPHONE 21). VICTORIA EXCHANGE, December 28, 1887. 2522

ROBERT LANG & Co., Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters, QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

NEW WINTER GOODS.

LAMB'S WOOL AND SHETLAND WOOL UNDERVESTS AND PANTS, CARDIGAN JACKETS, HAND-KNIT HOSE and HOSE, CASHMERE MERINO and SILK HOSE. BOOTS and SHOES from the best manufacturers. DRAB CLOTH SPATS. KID and WOOL-LINED GLOVES. TRAVELLING RUGS and SCOTCH PLAIDS. OVERLAND TRUNKS. PORTMANTEAUS and HAND-BAGS, &c.

TAILORING:—OVER-COATINGS, SUITING, AND TROUSERING in large Variety of Materials. Hongkong, January 3, 1888. 11

Intimations.

NOTICE.

FOR the Convenience of Customers, the Productions of the 'CHINA STEAM REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED,' can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR CASH, at No. 3, PRINCE STREET, at the same prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail Orders will be delivered at addresses in town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the REFINERY at East Point.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, July 27, 1885. 1128

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CURRY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of February current, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1887.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 2, 1888. 183

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NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from the 11th (SATURDAY) to the 25th day of February current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

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Intimations.

BANK HOLIDAY.

IN accordance with Government Notification No. 43 of 4th Instant, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on MONDAY, the 13th Instant.

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,' JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,' T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,' T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

For the 'Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris,' J. ARRANGER, Acting Agent.

For the New 'Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited,' E. W. RUTTER, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, February 7, 1888. 202

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon Dentist, (FORMERLY ANTIQUE APPRENTICE AND LATER ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS), AT the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS, No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Address, 2, DUDDELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank), Hongkong, January 12, 1888. 66

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that SCRIP ORBITAL No. 1429, issued 22nd May, 1886, for ONE SHARE No. 2978 in the above Office, standing in the name of TONG WAI of Swatow, has been LOST, and should the same not be produced before the 10th Instant, a NEW SCRIP CERTIFICATE will be issued to the said TONG WAI, and no transaction taking place under the said SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 1429 will be recognised by the Office.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, February 4, 1888. 106

ANDREW JOHNSTON, 2, DUDDELL STREET, MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

PLANS and ESTIMATES prepared for LIGHT DRAGNET STEAMERS, STEAM LAUNCHES, MARINE ENGINES and BOILERS, and all other kinds of MACHINERY.

A List of Steamers FOR SALE always on hand.

The Address as above. Hongkong, January 4, 1888. 21

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of 7 per Cent. or \$1.40 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held THIS DAY, will be Payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after MONDAY, the 6th Instant.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply at the Office of the Company for WARRANTS.

By Order of the Board of Directors, F. HENDERSON, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 4, 1888. 104

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Nineteenth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, Polder's Street, on MONDAY, the 20th February instant, at 12 o'clock (noon), to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1887, and the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 20th day of February inst.; both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited. Hongkong, February 1, 1888. 177

Intimations.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1888. 14

Intimations.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED. ... 1,000,000.

THE above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, and Policies granted to all parts of the World payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary, HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, December 2, 1887. 2449

Auctions.

AUCTION SALE OF HORSES.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 4th of March proximo, there will be at the Cavalry Quarters of Hanoi, Tonkin, a Public Auction Sale of 140 FRENCH or ARABIAN HORSES.

H. VERLEYE, Consul for France. Hongkong, January 28, 1888. 100

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

JUST ARRIVED BY MANUEL. ABOUT 30,000 CUBIC FEET MANILA HARD WOOD.

Apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, January 9, 1888. 53

Ball Programmes for Sale.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE, 2, WYNDHAM STREET, January 20, 1888.

Now Ready.

CANTONESE MADE EASY. 2nd Edition, ENLARGED AND AMENDED, BY J. DYER BALL.

Price, \$3.

Other Books by the same Author. 'THE CANTONESE MADE EASY VOCABULARY,' \$1.

'EASY SENTENCES IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT, WITH A VOCABULARY,' \$2.

'AN ENGLISH-CANTONESE POCKET VOCABULARY,' \$0.75.

'EASY SENTENCES IN THE HAKKA DIALECT, WITH A VOCABULARY,' \$1.

FOR SALE at MESSRS KELLY & WALES'S, W. W. BARNES'S, and LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s. Hongkong, January 17, 1888. 88

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co. CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts, \$30 per Case of 1 doz. Pints, \$21 " " " 2 " Dubos Freres & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES.

Uxar's Celebrated 'Barley Bree' WHISKY, \$72 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1881. 1187

To Let.

TO LET.

ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS,' GODOWN in ICE HOUSE LANE, lately occupied by Messrs. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, from the 1st May.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, February 3, 1888. 504

TO BE LET.

UNFURNISHED WITH TENNIS COURT.

NO. 5, RICHMOND TERRACE, a FOUR ROOMED HOUSE, with Three Bath Rooms.

NO. 6, RICHMOND TERRACE, a SIX ROOMED HOUSE, with Three Bath Rooms.

A NEW STORY has just been added to the Servants' Quarters of both houses.

Apply to JOHN WILLMOTT, Hongkong Dispensary. Hongkong, January 27, 1888. 142</

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.
THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY
 WILL PERFORM
'THE SORCERER,'
TO-MORROW EVENING.
 9th February, at 9 o'clock p.m.
 Tickets may be obtained from Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., on and after Wednesday, 1st February, at 9 a.m. Price, \$2.
 R. LYALL,
 Acting Hon. Secretary.
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 144

To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.
THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY
 WILL PERFORM THEIR PERFORMANCE
'THE SORCERER,'
 ON
SATURDAY,
 the 11th February, 1888, at 9 p.m.
 The Plan of the Theatre will be ready at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s on and after Thursday, the 9th instant, when Tickets may be obtained. Price, \$2 each.
 R. LYALL,
 Acting Hon. Secretary.
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 205

JURY LIST—1888.

NOTICE is hereby given that Pursuant to the Provisions of Section 4 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1882, I have THIS DAY caused to be posted in the COURT HOUSE, a List or List of names of persons who are liable to serve as JURORS.
 The said List will remain so posted for the term of one fortnight, in order that any Person may, as the case shall be, apply by Notice in writing to me requiring that his Name, or the Names of some other Person or Persons may be respectively either added to, or struck off the said List, upon cause duly assigned in such Notice.
 EDW. J. ACKROYD,
 Registrar.
 Registry, Supreme Court,
 Hongkong, 1st February, 1888. 206

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.
 The Co.'s Steamship *Fokien*, Captain ROACH, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 10th instant, at Daylight.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPEIRA & Co.,
 General Managers,
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 212

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship *Clyde* will leave for the above place on FRIDAY, the 10th instant, at Daylight.
 E. L. WOODIN,
 Superintendent.
 P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 213

GELLATLY'S LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
 The Steamship *Afghan*, Captain ROY, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, at Daylight.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
 Agents,
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 210

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.
 The Steamship *Cardigan*, Captain CLARK, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, at Daylight.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
 Agents,
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 211

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.
 (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)
 The Co.'s Steamship *El Dorado*, Captain PAXE, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, at 3 p.m.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
 Agents,
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 207

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.
 (Calling at SINGAPORE & JAVA, and taking through cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)
 The Steamship *Attila*, Captain ELLIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, at 4 p.m.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
 Agents,
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 208

To-day's Advertisements.

GELLATLY'S LINE OF STEAMERS.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
S.S. AFGHAN, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.
 CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., at Kowloon, whence and from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.
 Optional Cargo will be forwarded under notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day, the 8th instant.
 No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 14th instant will be subject to rent.
 All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriting on or before the 14th instant, or they will not be recognized.
 No Fire Insurance will be effected.
 Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
 Agents,
 Hongkong, February 8, 1888. 208

SHIPPING.
ARRIVAL.
 February 8, 1888:—
Afghan, British steamer, 1,439, Gen. Roy, London via Glasgow and Liverpool, December 16, General—ADAMSON, BELL & Co.
Chi-yuen, Chinese str., 1,211, R. Null, Amoy February 6, General—C. M. S. N. Co.
Palamed, British steamer, 1,555, C. Jackson, Shanghai February 5, General—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
Fidèle, German steamer, 852, H. Brock, Amoy February 6, General—CHINESE.
Fokien, British steamer, 500, J. S. Beach, Swatow February 7, General—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.
Yangtze, British steamer, 814, T. W. Starling, Shanghai February 5, General—STEWART & CO.
Cardigan, British str., 973, R. Cass, Saigon January 31, Rice and Paddy—MORRIS & RAY.
El Dorado, British steamer, 800, G. Pains, Shanghai February 3, and Swatow 7, General—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Don Juan, Spanish steamer, 654, José M. Marquez, Manila February 3, and Amoy 7, General—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
Clyde, British steamer, 2,236, E. M. Edmond, R.N.R., Bombay January 20, and Singapore February 3, Mails & General—P. & O. S. N. Co.
DEPARTURES.
 February 8:—
Pinio, for India.
Duburg, for Saigon.
Norden, for Saigon.
Pluto, for Europe.
Alcudia, British dispatch-vessel, for Singapore.
Haiton, for Coast Ports.
Tricolor, for Amoy.
Yangtze, for Whampoa.
El Dorado, for Whampoa.
CLARKED.
Buu Pan, for Bangkok.
Ching-yu, for Saigon.
Palamed, for Singapore and London.
 The Chinese steamer *Chi-yuen* reports:

Had moderate monsoon and thick drizzling rain all the way down. Anchored outside the shipping at 9 p.m., on the 7th, and came to the buoy on the morning of the 8th inst. The British steamer *Fokien* reports: Had from monsoon and cloudy, rain occasionally.

The British steamer *Cardigan* reports: Sailed from Saigon at 2 p.m., 31st ult., and passed Cape St. James, at 3 p.m., had strong wind and sea to Cape Verde, wind afterwards increasing to strong gale, with heavy sea. On the 3rd at 6.40 a.m., a heavy sea broke on board and damaged bridge &c., and at 8 a.m., bore up for Vung Ro Bay, and anchored at 5 p.m. At 8 a.m., on 4th inst., weather moderating, proceeded on our voyage, had fresh to moderate winds, with strong N.E. swell to 19° N. lat., and thence to port strong winds and sea, with gloomy weather. Arrived Hongkong at noon, 8th instant.

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 Per *Don Juan*, from Manila, Mr. Jose Rizar, and 2 Chinese.
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DEPARTED.
 Per *St. Paul*, from Hongkong; for Saigon, Messrs. G. Atzenoth, Abdoolah Sind, Mahomed Ally, Soy Wan, Truong Dinh, and 2 Chinese; for Suez, Mr. Frank Franco, Mr. Ong Bong Tuck and 2 servants, Mr. On Chong Swei and 2 servants, Mr. Jerniniah and 3 servants, and Rev. Gex; for Colombo, Messrs. D. A. Seligman, D. E. Seligman, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Seligman, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Seligman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Garrota, Mr. T. J. Seligman, Dr. Grotor, and Mr. J. Thunhardt; for Port Said, Lieut. M. Bandolowski; for Marseilles, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Simoes, Capt. Azolo, Capt. Fernando Antonio, and Mr. J. Hartmann. For Yokohama, Mr. and Mrs. Vander Hart and 2 children, and Mr. Huddle; from Shanghai, Mr. Laugren. For Calcutta: from Yokohama, Mr. C. R. Hambrook; from Shanghai, Messrs. Diney and Cuming. For Marseilles: from Yokohama, Messrs. Soukermori, Nambon and Isauti; from Kobe, Messrs. Thierry, Ioudoumaki and Tamakadate; from Shanghai: Mr. Cornish.

Per *Rutan*, for Swatow, Major Churchill, and Mr. J. C. Johnston, and 200 Chinese.
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 Per *Duburg*, for Saigon, 100 Chinese.
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'The November-December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interesting. The opening paper is by Mr. Herbert A. Giles on "The New Testament in Chinese" treats of a question that must necessarily be of great importance to the eyes of all missionaries. Mr. E. H. Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuan" are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels in the interior of China is given. Mr. F. H. Balfour contributes a paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Empire," which will be of much interest to students of Chinese history. A few short notices of New Books and a number of Notes and Queries, one of which "On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete the number. "H.K. Daily Press."

'The Review's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review:—The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, some what similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degrees of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable, and contributing to much interest, may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and on account of the character of the Chinese post-steamship of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. O. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Besides notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of interest and to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance.

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at Green Island, Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore B., and those in the vicinity of the

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked C., in conjunction with the figures denoting the section.

Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

Section.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From Kellett's Island to North Point.
10. Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers						
Afghan	Brit. str.	1439	Feb. 8	Aphamson, Bell & Co.	Sydney, &c.	11th inst.
Airline	Brit. str.	2438	Feb. 8	Russell & Co.	Tientsin, &c.	10th inst.
Anaphritie	Brit. str.	2438	Feb. 8	Russell & Co.	Tientsin, &c.	10th inst.
Asbestos	Brit. str.	1013	Jan. 24	Butterfield & Swire	Haiphong	Abdorm Dock
Banary	Brit. str.	2000	Feb. 6	Adams, Bell & Co.	Haiphong	
Bonary	Brit. str.	1119	Feb. 6	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Haiphong	
Caribbrooke	Brit. str.	978	Feb. 6	Morris & Ray	Haiphong	
Chingtao	Brit. str.	1459	Feb. 6	Butterfield & Swire	Haiphong	
Chai Yuen	Brit. str.	1121	Feb. 6	M. S. S. Co.	Haiphong	
City of Sydney	Brit. str.	3016	Jan. 28	M. S. S. Co.	Haiphong	
Danube	Brit. str.	1164	Feb. 6	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Haiphong	
Diamants	Brit. str.	614	Jan. 31	Russell & Co.	Haiphong	
El Dorado	Brit. str.	890	Feb. 6	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Haiphong	
Edelweiss	Brit. str.	352	Feb. 6	Chinese	Haiphong	
Fokien	Brit. str.	509	Feb. 6	Douglas Steamship Co.	Haiphong	
Fookang	Brit. str.	390	Feb. 6	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Haiphong	
Ilanus	Brit. str.	779	Sept. 19	Wider & Co.	Haiphong	
Independence	Brit. str.	351	Feb. 6	Wider & Co.	Haiphong	
Jacob Christensen	Brit. str.	1109	Feb. 6	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	Haiphong	
Palamed	Brit. str.	1535	Feb. 6	Butterfield & Swire	Haiphong	
Pomptot	Brit. str.	1541	Jan. 31	Ed. Scholthas & Co.	Haiphong	
Pilot Fish	Brit. str.	161	Sept. 27	H. K. & W. Dock Co.	Haiphong	
Taichow	Brit. str.	862	Feb. 6	Yuen Fat Hong	Haiphong	
Tartarus	Brit. str.	1587	Feb. 6	Takassima Colliery	Haiphong	
Wingsang	Brit. str.	1517	Jan. 30	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Haiphong	
Yangtze	Brit. str.	814	Feb. 6	Singapore & Co.	Haiphong	
Zedro	Brit. str.	675	Feb. 6	Russell & Co.	Haiphong	
Sailing Vessels						
Allie Rowe	Haw. bg.	3	June 9	Wider & Co.	Laid up	
Anna Wichhorst	Brit. bg.	3	June 9	Wider & Co.	Laid up	
B. P. O'Connell	Amer. bg.	1259	Jan. 29	Douglas, Laprak & Co.	Haiphong	
Bua Pan	Brit. bg.	674	Jan. 16	Chinese	Haiphong	
Centennial	Amer. bg.	1222	Jan. 27	Russell & Co.	Haiphong	
Coloma	Amer. bg.	852	Dec. 27	Melchers & Co.	Haiphong	
Dorothy	Brit. bg.	300	Sept. 14	Chinese	Haiphong	
Dorothea	Brit. bg.	620	Jan. 29	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Haiphong	
Ems	Brit. bg.	777	Jan. 31	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Haiphong	
E. J. Spence	Brit. bg.	619	Jan. 18	Gonsalves & Co.	Haiphong	
F. P. Leitchfield	Amer. bg.	1042	Feb. 6	Chinese	Haiphong	
Hectanooga	Brit. bg.	1066	Feb. 6	Messageries Maritimes	Haiphong	
John D. Brewer	Amer. bg.	1029	Jan. 1	Order	Haiphong	
Kitty	Brit. bg.	803	Aug. 20	Order	Haiphong	
Mabel Taylor	Brit. bg.	1205	Jan. 28	Carlows & Co.	Haiphong	
Manuel	Span. bg.	902	Jan. 31	Korredios & Co.	Haiphong	
Nardoo	Brit. bg.	272	Oct. 31	Order	Haiphong	
Panchoot	Amer. bg.	1068	Dec. 14	Adams, Bell & Co.	Haiphong	
Rialto	Brit. bg.	1182	Jan. 3	Pusan & Co.	Haiphong	
Santa Filomena	Span. sch.	448	Jan. 12	Chinese	Haiphong	
Santa	Brit. bg.	107	Jan. 26	Melchers & Co.	Haiphong	
Siam	Siam. sch.	294	Jan. 20	Chinese	Haiphong	
Suitolma	Brit. bg.	903	Jan. 28	Order	Haiphong	
Tampac	Brit. bg.	404	Jan. 11	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Haiphong	
Theodor Ruge	Brit. bg.	1275	Dec. 31	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Haiphong	
Walter Siegfried	Amer. bg.	1870	Jan. 28	Russell & Co.	Haiphong	
Walter Siegfried	Brit. bg.	384	Dec. 17	Chinese	Haiphong	

Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Alacrity	despatch-vessel	1400	4	3180	Com. R. Blair Macdonald	Singapore
Audacious	despatch-vessel	1400	4	3180	Capt. Robert Hastings Harris	Hongkong
Cockchafer	gunboat 2nd class	485	4	470	Lieut.-Com. H. H. Boteler	Hongkong
Constance	gunboat 3rd class	2380	14	2690	Capt. L. O. Keppel	Hongkong
Cordelia	gunboat 3rd class	2380	10	1420	Captain Henry H. Boys	On a cruise
Sak	g-b. 3rd class coast defence	495	3	470	Lieut.-Com. H. R. Adams	Shanghai
Sagor	gunboat 2nd class	465	4	460	Lieut.-Com. Denison	Hongkong
Firebrand	gunboat 2nd class	1420	8	1470	Captain Chas. J. Balfour	Hongkong
Lander	gunboat 2nd class	8750	10	6000	Captain M. J. Dunlop	Kobe
Linnat	gun-boat 2nd class	756	5	1050	Commander W. Marrack	Shanghai
Merlin	gunboat 2nd class	430	4	430	Lieut.-Com. W. H. Matrin	Tientsin
Mutine	sloop	1200	10	1120	Commander J. H. Martin	Singapore
Orion	batling-ship-armoured	4870	4	4040	Commander W. U. Moore	On a cruise
Rambler	surveying vessel	670	6	1200	Lieut.-Com. W. M. Dougall	Hongkong
Rentier	gunboat 1st class	1970	12	2360	Captain W. O. Karlake	Hongkong
Sapphire	gunboat 3rd class	1420	8	1400	Captain Arthur L. Allington	Shanghai
Solent	torpedo mining launch	150	—	—	Commander W. H. Matrin	Hongkong
Swift	gun-boat 2nd class	756	5	1010	Commander A. O. B. Bromley	Hongkong
Twined	g-b. 3rd class coast defence	390	3	840	Commander Maxwell, A.D.C.	In reserve
Victor Emangle	receiving ship	5157	14	—	Captain T. H. Boys	Hongkong
Wanderer	sloop	920	4	750	Commander Geo. Giffard	Hongkong
Wolver	coast-defence ship-armoured	2750	4	1460	—	Hongkong

* Flagship of Admiral Sir R. Vesey Hamilton, K.C.B. Commander-in-Chief.

For H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Aleout	Russian gunboat	800	—	—	Captain Parengo	Nagasaki
Aragon	Spanish cruiser	1908	—	—	Captain D. E. Zulnaga	Manila
Asio	French gunboat	470	4	450	Commander Ruge	Haiphong
Aurora	Austro-Hungarian cruiser	1430	—	—	Captain Franz Muller	Haiphong
Bismarck	German cruiser	2800	—	—	Captain Ruge	On a cruise
Boholmen Dias	Portuguese corvette	—	—	400	Onk. da Costa Cabrel	Hongkong
Bobie	Russian cruiser	1100	—	—	Captain Menechneff	Hongkong
Brooklyn	U. S. frigate	3000	14	1200	Flagship of Admiral Chandler	Hongkong
Carola	German cruiser	2100	—	—	Captain Achmann	On a cruise
Combe	French gunboat	475	4	450	Lieut.-Com. Commander Martel	Haiphong
Dmitry Donokoy	Russian frigate	6000	—	—	Captain N. Berydoff	Nagasaki
Easer	U. S. corvette	1375	6	900	Captain Th. Arvola	Kobe
Itis	French gunboat	445	2	270	Lieut. Commander Poutet	Haiphong
Lutina	French gunboat	485	4	425	Captain Nemy	Haiphong
Marion	U. S. corvette	1900	7	1170	Commander Merrill Miller	Chamulpo
Monocacy	U. S. sloop	1370	6	1470	Commander H. Giss	Yokohama
Mordy	Russian gunboat	455	2	80	Commander Melcos	Corea
Nauticus	German gun-boat	755	4	600	Captain von Haven	Zanzibar
Neydeck	Russian cruiser	1280	6	250	Captain Zarin	Nagasaki
Palma	U. S. corvette	2400	12	1150	Capt. Courtis	Corea
Paravel	French gunboat	420	6	600	Lieut. Com. Thomas Nelson	Yokohama
Playter	French gunboat	540	—	420	Captain M. Foret	Kobe
Primanguet	French cruiser	2200	15	2270	Lieut. Commander Poldine	Haiphong
Rapido	Italian cruiser	1458	5	—	Captain F. Oravos	Kobe
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	840	—	—	Captain Raphael d'Andrade	Macao
Rynda	Russian cruiser	3000	—	—	Captain Th. Arvola	Manila
Siroch	Russian gunboat	455	1	1000	Commander Suoliriff	Corea
Sobol	Russian gunboat	455	1	60	Commander Boyte	Japan
Sophia	German cruiser	2100	—	—	Captain Cochur	Haiphong
Tamaga	Portuguese gunboat	610	5	500	Commander P. I. Gouveia	Macao
Tejo	Portuguese gunboat	5880	12	4250	Lieut.-Com. C. R. Caminha	Macao
Torrense	French frigate	1330	—	—	Captain Juge	Kobe
Vestnik	Russian corvette	1330	—	—	Captain Lang	Nagasaki
Vipere	French gunboat	2650	12	425	Capt. de Marolles	Yokohama
Vladok	Russian gunboat	2650	12	—	Captain Makarov	Nagasaki
Wit	German gunboat	584	4	340	Commander Michonier	Vladivostok
Zaire	Portuguese gunboat	—	4	100	Lieut. Com. C. M. P. Vianna	Kobe

SHIPPING IN CHINA, JAPAN, PHILIPPINES, AND SIAM.

WATERS.

WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name. Flag & Rig. Destination.

None.

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In port on February 2, 1888.

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Baesto Brit. bgo.